H. R. 278.

JANUARY 18, 1825.

Read twice, and committed to the committee of the whole House, to which is committed the bill making appropriations for the support of Government, for the year one thousand eight hundred and twenty five.

A BILL

Making appropriations for the support of the Navy of the United States, for the year one thousand eight hundred and twenty five.

- Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives
- 2 of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That,
- 3 for defraying the expenses of the Navy, for the year one
- 4 thousand eight hundred and twenty five, the following sums
- 5 be, and the same are hereby, respectively, appropriated:
- 6 For the pay and subsistence of the officers, and pay of
- 7 the seamen, other than those at Navy Yards, shore stations,
- 8 and in ordinary, seven hundred and eighty three thousand
- 9 five hundred and fifty four dollars thirty seven cents.
- 10 For the pay and subsistence of officers and others at
- 11 Navy Yards, shore stations, and in ordinary, two hundred
- 12 and seventy nine thousand three hundred and sixty four
- 13 dollars and seventy three cents.
- For provisions, three hundred and fifty five thousand
- 15 eight hundred and seventy five dollars.

- 16 For repairs of vessels, and for wear and tear of vessels 17 in commission, four hundred and fifty thousand dollars.
- For improvement and repairs of Navy Yards, one hundred and fifty five thousand dollars.
- For ordnance and ordnance stores, thirty five thousand dollars.
- For medicines and hospital stores, thirty five thousand dollars.
- For defraying the expenses which may accrue during 24 25 the year one thousand eight hundred and twenty five, for the following purposes: For freight and transportation of ma-26 terials and stores of every description; for wharfage and 27 dockage; for storage and rent; for travelling expenses of of-28 ficers, and transportation of seamen; for house rent or 29 chamber money; for fuel and candles to officers, other than 30 those attached to Navy Yards and shore stations; for com-31 missions, clerk hire, office rent, stationery and fuel, to 32 Navy Agents; for premiums and incidental expenses of re-33 cruiting; for expenses of pursuing deserters; for compensa-34 tion to Judge Advocates; for per diem allowance to persons 35 attending courts martial and courts of inquiry, and to offi-36 cers engaged in extra service beyond the limits of their sta-37 tions; for expenses of persons in sick quarters; for burying 38 deceased persons belonging to the Navy; for printing and 39 for stationery of every description; for books, charts, nauti-40

cal, and mathematical instruments, chronometers, models, 41 and drawings; for purchase and repairs of steam and fire 42 engines and machinery; for purchase and maintenance of 43 oxen and horses, and for carts, wheels, and workmen's tools 44 of every description; for postage of letters on public service; 45 for pilotage; for cabin furniture for vessels in commission; 46 for taxes on Navy Yards and public property; for assist-47 ance rendered to public vessels in distress; for incidental 48 labor at Navy Yards, not applicable to any other appropria-49 tion; for coals and other fuel for forges, foundries, steam en-50 gines, and for vessels in commission and in ordinary; and 51 for no other object or purpose whatever:-two hundred thou-**52** 53 sand dollars.

For contingent expenses, for objects arising in the cur-55 rent year, and not herein before enumerated, five thousand 56 dollars.

For pay and subsistence of the Marine Corps, one hundred and eighty nine thousand eight hundred and sixty dollars and fifty cents.

For clothing for the same, twenty eight thousand seven hundred and sixty five dollars.

For fuel for the same, six thousand dollars.

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For medicines, hospital stores, and instruments for the officers and marines stationed on shore, two thousand three hundred and sixty nine dollars seventy one cents.

For contingent expenses; that is to say: fuel for com-67 missioned officers, transportation, stationery, bed sacks, 68 straw, extra rations to officers, and postage on public letters, 69 nine thousand dollars.